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SECOND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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SIR:

A first response to final action was previously submitted on 20 August 2010 but was refused entry, as noted in an Advisory Action mailed 14 September 2010. Thus, in further response to the Final Office Action dated 20 May 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

A one-month extension of time is necessary for the filing of this paper, which extension is respectfully requested. It is requested that this paper be construed as a petition for such extension, and fees for it and any others as are required should be charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account No. 090470.